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BRAMBLETON WARD.

Mr. T. C. Gale has been confined to his residence, on Water avenue, for the past week with grip.

Rev. L. R. Christie has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in Eastern North Carolina.

Mrs. E. W. Bray, who has been very ill at her home, No. 315 East Brambleton avenue, for the past three weeks, is convalescing.

Miss Mary Townsend, of Connecticut, is visiting her cousin, Miss Lucy E. Townsend, of No. 113 North Park avenue.

The Evergreen Social Club was organized Wednesday night with a membership of sixteen. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, H. V. Stokes; Vice-President, F. M. Sawyer; Secretary, A. L. Diggs; Treasurer, H. G. Buckwater.

The object of the club is to bring the young people of the ward together for social recreation and intellectual improvement.

At the meetings of the Brambleton W. C. T. U. and the King's Daughters yesterday the subject of providing for the poor of the ward was discussed and plans adopted which, it is believed, will facilitate the work of both of these societies in this direction.

Mrs. Henry Lyons continues very sick at her residence, on Calhoun avenue.

The first public quarterly meeting of McKendree Church was held Wednesday night after the regular service, at which the entire congregation remained. The meeting was a most interesting one and the reports from the various departments of the church were highly encouraging.

ATLANTIC CITY WARD.

The work of public improvements in Atlantic City Ward was discontinued more than a week ago. Moran avenue has been shelled, curbed and guttered a distance of 3,100 feet. Moran avenue, beginning at Olney Road and continuing to Llewellyn avenue and into the park, is of greater length than Granby street in its entire stretch from Eleventh street to the Norfolk and Western Railway tracks, which is about 3,000 feet in length.

Moran avenue has two circles, one at Fourteenth and the other at Seventeenth street, which are to have ornamental finishings. The remainder of the streets in the ward will be put in like condition as soon as the stone for curbing and guttering arrives from Richmond. The only thing to be done now to complete Moran avenue is to crush the shells by rolling into a compact mass of uniform thickness.

It is said that when the work of improving Colley avenue begins, it is the intention of the Local Board to lay stone crossings at the intersection of streets.

BENEFIT SUPPER.

The oyster supper and ice cream festival for the benefit of the new Baptist Church to be erected on Olney Road in the spring, opened up at the W. C. T. U. Hall last night under the most auspicious circumstances. Despite the extreme severity of the weather the attendance was large and the patronage most liberal. The ladies in charge were indefatigable in their efforts to please the visitors. Several pleasing attractions added much to the evening's enjoyment.

NOTES IN BRIEF.

Mr. Freeman, who has been ill at his home on Poole street for several weeks, is slowly improving.

There was no meeting of the Atlantic City W. C. T. U. yesterday afternoon. Their regular meetings are on the first and third Thursday afternoons in each month.

The Junior Epworth League will have for its subject next Sunday afternoon, "Joy in Finding the Lost."

The sudden cold spell has interfered seriously with the trade of the oyster packers on account of the very few vessels coming in with supplies.

The managers of the Norfolk Protestant Hospital have been assured that the necessary repairs on Pembroke avenue will be made as soon as the weather will permit.

The Modern Way.

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JACK'S LETTER—JUNE, 1898. When over Sampson's gallant fleet Went down the yellow sun, The sailor found a quiet nook Beside a dusky gun.

And while the lifeblood of the day Ebb'd crimson on the foam, He read again with misty eyes A letter from his home.

"The hush you loved," the pages said, "Is full of roses red;

The stable has an empty stall, For old Brown Bess is dead. And ever to your vacant chair Our tearful glances roam.

While Rover listens for your step— Oh, Jack, dear Jack, come home!" For half a million loving hearts Were down with Sampson's fleet,

Where rolling decks and armored sides Gleamed hazy through the heat; And every hour a message flew, White-winged, across the foam,

The burden of a lonely soul— "Oh, Jack, dear Jack, come home!" —Munsey's Magazine.

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DEATHS AND FUNERALS

DR. W. T. SUTTON.

The funeral of Dr. W. T. Sutton, who departed this life at his home, No. 265 Granby street, Tuesday night, was held from the residence at noon yesterday in the presence of a large assemblage. Pickett-Buchanan Camp, and the Norfolk Medical Society were present each in a body. The services were conducted by Rev. A. S. Lloyd, rector of St. Luke's, and Rev. Dr. B. D. Tucker, of St. Paul's Episcopal Churches. The floral tributes were very handsome. The remains were laid to rest in Elmwood Cemetery. Following were the pall-bearers: Dr. H. M. Nash, Dr. Lomax Gwathmey, Paymaster Eldred, U. S. N.; Mr. Charles Wilson, Colonel H. L. Turner, Mr. W. T. Brooks, Colonel A. Nash and Mr. N. Beaman.

MRS. JANE E. JONES.

The obsequies of Mrs. Jane E. Jones, relict of the late Mr. Jason Jones, whose demise occurred at the residence of Mr. James F. Cherry, No. 317 North Maitby avenue, Wednesday night, were held from Trinity M. E. Church at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The officiating minister was Rev. Lloyd T. Williams, pastor of the church. The interment was in Oak Grove Cemetery, Portsmouth, of which city the deceased was a former resident.

MRS. ELIZA A. MOORE.

The venerable Mrs. Eliza A. Moore died at the Allmand Home of the Cumberland Street M. E. Church, No. 169 Fenchurch street, at 4 o'clock yesterday morning at the advanced age of 85 years. The funeral will be held from the home at 3 o'clock this afternoon and will be conducted by Rev. C. W. Pettit.

MR. MARK BRIGHT.

Mr. Mark Bright, an aged resident, died at his home, at the corner of Corpe and Maitby avenues, early Wednesday morning. His remains were taken to Camden, N. C., yesterday for interment. The deceased had suffered long and seriously with cancer.

AMUSEMENTS.

DIALOGUE ENTERTAINMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. Labadie, "Dialogue Entertainers," announced for an entertainment in Y. M. C. A. Hall to-night for the benefit of Norfolk Tent No. 16, K. O. T. M. Of these entertainers, Rev. J. B. Young, editor of the Christian Advocate, St. Louis, Mo., has the following to say:

"I listened with great interest to the entertainment given by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Labadie here last evening. They have genuine dramatic talent and afforded the audience a refined, choice and most attractive evening."

JOE OTT TO-NIGHT.

Burt Jordan, the famous (James & May) John Vaul's (William and Birdie), John Reid, Abbott Davidson, George P. Campbell, Edgar St. George, Violet Montross, Ruby Capen, Edna Barclay, Miriam Martell, Genevieve Parker, Louise Hillard and Lizzie M. Darling, is only a partial list of the names of the artists who are helping Joe Ott in the farce comedy entitled, "Looking for Trouble."

It is a formidable array of entertainers, and judging from press comments, Mr. Ott is to be congratulated in the securing of such a funny play as well as for the liberality of his engagements of clever people.

"Looking for Trouble" will be seen at the Academy of Music to-night and to-morrow matinee and night. Prices at night, 25, 50, 75 cents and \$1; matinee 50 cents any seat, children 25 cents.

"A MILK WHITE FLAG."

Clever men and handsome women and lavish costuming and superb scenic embellishments are essential features of Hoyt's spectacular comedy, "A Milk White Flag," which comes to the Academy of Music Monday evening. Sale of seats opens this morning at 9 a. m. Prices, 25c., 50c., 75c. and \$1.

"THE GEISHA."

"Geisha" will be at the Academy on Tuesday evening and Wednesday matinee. It has been one of the greatest of Daly's successes from his New York and London theatres, having been played over two years in London and 300 nights in New York city. The production, scenery and company, will be complete in every detail, which insures a performance of rare merit and artistic ability. "The Circus Girl," another of Mr. Daly's successes, will be presented on Wednesday.

Court Stenographer Recovered.

Miss Birdie Ackley, stenographer to U. S. Court's Clerk George E. Bowden, who was taken ill with typhoid fever last November (28th), was out yesterday, and paid a visit to the Custom House for the first time since her illness. She held an informal reception, and was given quite an ovation, as all in the building were glad to see her well again.

SOUTHERN INDUSTRIES.

PROGRESS NOTED ALL ALONG THE LINE.

(Special to Virginian-Pilot.)

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 9.—Among the important industrial announcements by the Manufacturers' Record for the week are the following:

Proposed 25,000 spindle and 700 loom cotton mill in Alabama by a New England company, \$15,000 chair factory in Arkansas, \$100,000 naval stores company \$9,000 phosphate plant and \$12,000 phosphate plant in Florida; \$25,000 cotton seed oil mill, etc., \$100,000 cotton mill, \$25,000 gold mining company, 100-barrel cement mill, 2,000-spindle cotton mill addition and \$50,000 wagon factory in Georgia; \$10,000 rice mill, \$50,000 warehouse and elevator company and \$75,000 foot saw mill in Louisiana; \$100,000 ice factory, \$30,000 evaporating plant, \$100,000 candy factory and \$1,125,000 telephone company in Maryland; \$8,000 cotton seed oil mill and \$5,000,000 water power-electrical development company in North Carolina; 75-barrel flour mill, \$10,000 knitting mill addition, \$12,000 lumber company, 50-barrel flour mill and an extensive water power development company in South Carolina; \$25,000 ice company, \$9,000 wood-

working company and \$25,000 woolen mill in Tennessee; \$20,000 foundry and machine company, \$50,000 cotton oil mill addition, 30-ton cotton seed oil mill, \$10,000 water works company and \$25,000 iron works company in Texas; \$5,000 electric construction company, \$750,000 development company and 20-ton ice plant in Virginia; \$100,000 timber land company, \$500,000 saw mill company, \$25,000 telephone company, \$300,000 coal and lumber company, \$5,000 lumber boom company, \$15,000 worsted and cassimere company and \$5,000 telephone company in West Virginia.

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